

Gekas	Lightfoot	Ros-Lehtinen
Geren	Linder	Roth
Gillmor	Lipinski	Royce
Goodlatte	Livingston	Salmon
Goodling	Lucas	Sanford
Goss	Manton	Scarborough
Graham	Manzullo	Seaefer
Gutknecht	Mascara	Schiff
Hall (OH)	McCollum	Seastrand
Hall (TX)	McCrery	Sensenbrenner
Hamilton	McDade	Shadegg
Hancock	McHugh	Shuster
Hansen	McInnis	Skeen
Hastert	McIntosh	Skelton
Hastings (FL)	McKeon	Smith (MI)
Hastings (WA)	Mica	Smith (NJ)
Hayworth	Miller (FL)	Smith (TX)
Hefley	Mollohan	Smith (WA)
Heineman	Montgomery	Solomon
Herger	Moorhead	Souder
Hilleary	Murtha	Spence
Hobson	Myrick	Stearns
Hoekstra	Nethercutt	Stenholm
Hoke	Neumann	Stockman
Holden	Ney	Stump
Hostettler	Norwood	Stupak
Hunter	Nussle	Talent
Hutchinson	Oberstar	Tate
Hyde	Ortiz	Tauzin
Inglis	Orton	Taylor (MS)
Istook	Oxley	Taylor (NC)
Johnson, Sam	Packard	Tejeda
Jones	Parker	Thornberry
Kanjorski	Paxon	Tiahrt
Kasich	Peterson (MN)	Volkmer
Kildee	Petri	Vucanovich
Kim	Pombo	Waldholtz
King	Portman	Walker
Kingston	Poshard	Walsh
Klink	Quillen	Wamp
Knollenberg	Quinn	Watts (OK)
LaFalce	Radanovich	Weldon (FL)
LaHood	Rahall	Weldon (PA)
Largent	Regula	Weller
Latham	Riggs	Whitfield
LaTourette	Roberts	Wicker
Laughlin	Roemer	Wolf
Lewis (CA)	Rogers	Young (AK)
Lewis (KY)	Rohrabacher	Young (FL)

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Bryant (TX)	Ewing	Johnson (SD)
Chapman	Ford	Myers
Clay	Green	Stokes
Collins (MI)	Hayes	

So the amendment was not agreed to.

After some further time,

The Committee rose informally to receive messages from the President.

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. LINDER, assumed the Chair.

¶24.15 MESSAGES FROM THE PRESIDENT

Sundry messages in writing from the President of the United States were communicated to the House by Mr. Edwin Thomas, one of his secretaries, who also informed the House the President, subsequent to the sine die adjournment of the First Session of the 104th Congress, approved and signed bills of the House of the following titles:

January 4, 1996:

H.R. 2808. An Act to extend authorities under the Middle East Peace Facilitation Act of 1994 until March 31, 1996, and for other purposes.

January 6, 1996:

H.R. 1655. An Act to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1996 for intelligence and intelligence-related activities of the United States Government, the Community Management Account, and the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement and Disability System, and for other purposes.

January 10, 1996:

H.R. 394. An Act to amend title 4 of the United States Code to limit State taxation of certain pension income.

H.R. 2627. An Act to require the Secretary of the Treasury to mint coins in commemoration of the sesquicentennial of the founding of the Smithsonian Institution.

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January 11, 1996:

H.R. 2203. An Act to reauthorize the tied aid credit program of the Export-Import Bank of the United States, and to allow the Export-Import Bank to conduct a demonstration project.

January 16, 1996:

H.R. 1295. An Act to amend the Trademark Act of 1946 to make certain revisions relating to the protection of famous marks.

The Committee resumed its sitting; and after some further time spent therein,

¶24.16 RECORDED VOTE

A recorded vote by electronic device was ordered in the Committee of the Whole on the following amendment submitted by Mr. ISTOOK:

At the end of the bill (preceding the short title), add the following new title:

TITLE V—DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING
ACTIVITIES BY FEDERAL GRANTEES
DISCLOSURE OF LOBBYING ACTIVITIES BY
FEDERAL GRANTEES

SEC. 5001. (a) DISCLOSURE REQUIREMENTS.—Not later than December 31 of each year, each organization receiving a Federal grant shall provide (via either electronic or paper medium) to each Federal entity that awarded or administered its grant an annual report for the previous Federal fiscal year, certified by the organization's chief executive officer or equivalent person of authority, setting forth—

(1) the organization's name and grantee identification number;

(2) the amount or value of each grant (including all administrative and overhead costs awarded), and the description of each such grant and the name of the Federal agency awarding such grant; and

(3) a good faith estimate of the organization's actual expenses on lobbying activities in the most recent taxable year.

(b) EXEMPTIONS.—This section shall not apply to an individual or a State, local, or Indian tribal government.

(c) DEFINITIONS.—For purposes of this section:

(1) FEDERAL GRANT.—The term "Federal grant" means money or real property that is paid or provided by the Federal Government to any organization. Such term does not include (A) any assistance described in section 6302(2) of title 31, United States Code; (B) any amount paid under a procurement contract described in section 6303(1) of such title; or (C) and payment or assistance described in clause (ii), (iii), (iv), or (vii) of section 6501(4)(C) of such title.

(2) LOBBYING ACTIVITY.—The term "lobbying activity" means any activity that is either (A) a lobbying activity within the meaning of section 3 of the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995; or (B) an activity influencing legislation within the meaning of section 4911 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. Such term shall also include advocating the election or defeat of any candidate for public office, or the passage or non-passage of any ballot proposition.

(D) PUBLIC ACCOUNTABILITY.—

(1) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY OF LOBBYING DISCLOSURE FORMS.—Each Federal entity awarding a Federal grant shall make publicly available the grant application, and any annual report provided under subsection (a) by the organization receiving the grant.

(2) ACCESSIBILITY TO PUBLIC.—The public's access to the documents identified in paragraph (1) shall be facilitated by the Federal entity by—

(A) placement of such documents in the Federal entity's public document reading room;

(B) expediting any requests under section 552 of title 5, United States Code (the Freedom of Information Act), ahead of any requests for other information pending at such Federal entity; and

(C) submitting to the Bureau of the Census a report (standardized by the Office of Management and Budget) setting forth the information provided in such documents, which the Bureau of the Census shall make available to the public through the Internet.

(3) WITHHOLDING PROHIBITED.—Records described in paragraph (1) shall not be subject to withholding, except under the exemption set forth in subsection (b)(7)(A) of section 552 of title 5, United States Code.

(4) FEES PROHIBITED.—No fees for searching for or copying such documents shall be charged to the public.

(e) CONSTRUCTION.—No provision of this section may be construed to affect whether any organization is exempt from, or subject to, tax under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

(f) REGULATIONS.—The Director of the Office of Management and Budget shall issue any regulations necessary to carry out this section.

(g) EFFECTIVE DATE.—

(1) IN GENERAL.—This section shall take effect January 1, 1996, and apply thereafter.

(2) PRIOR ACTIVITIES NOT TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT.—In applying this section, only expenditures made after December 31, 1995, in taxable years ending after such date shall be taken into account.

(3) ANNUALIZATION FOR PARTIAL TAXABLE YEARS.—in the case of a taxable year that ends after December 31, 1995, and begins before January 1, 1996, each of the dollar amounts applicable under this section shall be proportionally reduced to reflect the portion of such taxable year after December 31, 1995.

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affirmative { Nays 209

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Allard	Cremins	Hastert
Archer	Cubin	Hastings (WA)
Armey	Cunningham	Hayworth
Bachus	Davis	Hefley
Baker (CA)	Deal	Heineman
Baker (LA)	DeLay	Herger
Ballenger	Diaz-Balart	Hilleary
Barr	Dickey	Hobson
Barrett (NE)	Doolittle	Hoekstra
Bartlett	Dornan	Hoke
Barton	Dreier	Hostettler
Bass	Duncan	Hunter
Bateman	Dunn	Hutchinson
Bereuter	Ehrlich	Hyde
Bilirakis	Emerson	Inglis
Bliley	English	Istook
Boehner	Ensign	Johnson (CT)
Bonilla	Everett	Johnson, Sam
Bono	Ewing	Jones
Brewster	Fawell	Kasich
Brownback	Fields (TX)	Kelly
Bryant (TN)	Flanagan	Kim
Bunning	Foley	King
Burr	Forbes	Kingston
Burton	Fowler	Knollenberg
Buyer	Franks (CT)	Kolbe
Callahan	Frisa	Largent
Calvert	Funderburk	Latham
Camp	Galleghy	LaTourette
Chabot	Ganske	Laughlin
Chambliss	Gekas	Lazio
Chenoweth	Geren	Lewis (KY)
Christensen	Gillmor	Lightfoot
Chrysler	Gingrich	Linder
Coble	Goodlatte	Livingston
Coburn	Goodling	Longley
Collins (GA)	Goss	Lucas
Combest	Graham	Manzullo
Condit	Gunderson	Martini
Cooley	Gutknecht	McCollum
Cox	Hall (TX)	McCrery
Crane	Hancock	McDade
Crapo	Hansen	McHugh